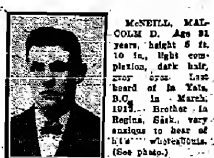


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LODGES FOR WOMEN. The Salvation Army maintains Lodges as follows: "Scott" Lodge, 163 Barrington Street, Halifax, N. S.

"Calicut" Lodge, 24 Calicut Street, Montreal, Quebec. "Rochester" Lodge, 131 Sherbourne Street, Toronto, Ontario.

"Balmora" Lodge, 239 Balmora Street, Winnipeg, Manitoba. "Welcome" Lodge, 2215 Lorne Avenue, Regina, Sask.

"Mount Pleasant" Lodge, 75 Scriven Avenue East, Vancouver, British Columbia. "Young Women visiting or leaving in the above mentioned cities will find comfortable accommodation at the addresses given. For particulars, apply to the nearest.

FOR OUR BOYS IN FRANCE. We would remind our readers that Captain Steele (our Chaplain in the front-line trenches in France) is in urgent need of comforts for the Canadian soldiers amongst whom he works. Woollen socks and mitts are particularly needed.

Send all articles to Mrs. Commissioner, Salvation Army, Territorial Headquarters, Winnipeg, and they will be forwarded to the front.

HINTS on the CIRCULATION

GOING UP WITH THE MERCURY—HOLL. DAYS FOR BOOMERS—WHAT THEY OUGHT TO DO BEFORE GOING AWAY—LINK UP HELPERS—A FASCINATING BRANCH OF SALVATION SERVICE—SPECIAL REQUESTS TO BOOMERS

IT'S WARM! Up goes the mercury! I like things to go up—at least, some things, among them "The War Cry" circulation. Some Boomers will no doubt be taking their holidays—and every Boomer deserves a good holiday once a year; it's good for their circulation, and what sets their blood circulating in healthy style will surely set "The War Cry" going, too. But for the sake of "The War Cry" circulation, be quite sure before you go on your holiday that arrangements have been made for supplying your customers while you are away, otherwise your circulation may go up, but that of "The War Cry" will go down, and that would be a calamity. Why not find out somebody who will do your round while you are away? Ten to one, if you do, when you come back, you will find you have secured a regular helper, for there are few branches of Salvation Service which fascinate like "The War Cry" selling. If you can only get people to begin selling "The War Cry" they will want to leave off. "The War Cry" selling brings so many opportunities for getting into contact with people and helping them spiritually, that those who are anxious to save souls will find it one of the finest avenues of usefulness they can enter.

Send a Post-Card. Will any Boomer who has had an interesting experience recently while "The War Cry" selling, please send the Editor a post card telling him about it? Or if any one has any "tips" to give fellow-boomers on "How to Sell 'The War Cry,'" will you please do ditto?

SONGS OF SALVATION

FIRM GROUND. Tune—Euphony, D.B., 116 Saginaw, B.B., 118. Now I have found the ground wherein Sure my soul's anchor may remain; The wounds of Jesus for my sin Before the world's foundation slain;

Whose mercy shall unshaken stay, When Heaven and earth are fled away. O Love, thou bottomless abyss, My sins are swallowed up in thee; Covered is my unrighteousness, Nor spot of guilt remains on me, While Jesus' blood, thy rough earth Mercy, free, boundless mercy, cries:

Fixed on this ground will I remain, Though my heart fail and flesh decay. This anchor shall my soul sustain, When earth's foundations melt away; Mercy's full power I then shall prove— Loved with no everlasting love.

LOVE! Tune—The Cross now covers I stand all bewildered with wonder, And gaze on the ocean of love; And over its waves to my spirit Comes peace like a heavenly dove.

CHORUS. The Cross now covers my sins, The past is under the Blood; I'm trusting in Jesus for all, My will is the will of my God.

I struggled and wrestled to win it, The blessing that setteth me free; But when I had ceased from my struggling, His peace Jesus gave unto me.

The Prince of my peace is now passing, The fight of His face is on me; But, listen, beloved, He speaketh— "My peace I will give unto thee!"

CHORUS. Behold His arms extended wide, Behold His bleeding hands and side, The sun withholds his rays of light, The heavens are clothed in shrouds of night, While Jesus does with devils fight.

Come, sinners, see Him lifted up, He drinks for you the bitter cup; The rocks do ready, the mountains quake, While Jesus doth Salvation make, While Jesus suffers for our sake,

COMMISSIONERS IN CANADA

COMMISSIONERS IN CANADA. Winnipeg—Fr. Eslington—Fr. St. Ag. Prince Rupert—Sun, 12. Vancouver—Tue, 11. Vernon—Sun, 11. Nelson—Sun, 11. Rossland—Mon, 2. Cranbrook—Wed, 2. Fernie—Thurs, 2. Calgary—Sat, 2. Calgary—Sat, 2. MacLeod—Mon, 2. Medicine Hat—Wed, 2. Swift Current—Fri, 11. Brigadier Phillips—Rochester, Sun, Aug. 11-12; Nelson, Tues. 13-14; Cranbrook, 15; Fernie, Thurs. 16; Coleman, Sat-Sun, 18-19; Leoni, Mon, 20. Brigadier Hay—Calgary, Aug. 25; Calgary, 26. Leoni, Mon, 27; Lethbridge, 28; Medicine Hat, Wed. 29. Major Combs—Estevan, Sun, Aug. 25-26. Staff-Captain Gooding—Med. Hat, Sat-Sun, Aug. 11-12; Head, Sat-Sun, 13-14; Current, Sat-Wed, 25-26.

PARAGRAPHISTS. (Continued from page 1.) Toronto is expected to be met by Adjutant Major Anderson and farewell meetings at Windsor and London. The Adjutant has been from Vancouver on Thursday, and he will be prepared to meet him on September 11th, and it is a possibility there will be a number of who will be able to do so. Ensign Richardson is at present engaged in special training at the Manitoba Division.

CANADA EAST. The Commissioner, accompanied by Chief Secretary and Brigadier, will leave Toronto for their Western Land Campaign on September 11th. Brigadier Ashby, accompanied by his wife, will visit Ottawa on Wednesday, August 14th. Major and Mrs. Jennings attended meetings at Byng's Island on last Sunday. About 80 men came and believed, thirty and forty left their hands for prayer.

Major Turpin called at his home this week. He is as bright as ever on account of his health, and he is fully recovered from the shock of his nerves in the "Legion of Honour" after.

Adjutant and Mrs. Pugh are transferred to the Canadian West. Adjutant and Mrs. Wynn have been appointed to Simcoe. They are glad to hear, but slightly surprised, that.

Adjutant and Mrs. Pugh are at present resting at Vancouver. The Adjutant's health being none too good, the gift has been ill with pneumonia. Mrs. Ensign Thorne, who has been seriously ill at Hamilton for some time, is now much better, and she has returned.

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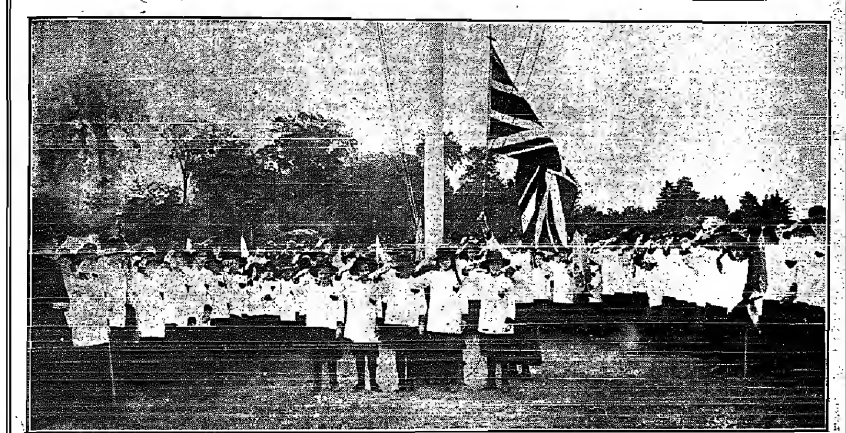
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THE WAR CRY

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With the Life-Saving Guards in Camp at Jackson's Point. (1) A Morning Salute to the Flag; (2) Commissioner Richards with Captain Satya D'App and the Troop Leaders who were at the Opening of the Camp. Others joined later.

WITH OUR SOLDIERS AND SAILORS IN CAMP AND AT THE FRONT.

THE RECRUIT'S REVENGE

Polished All the Boots that Were
Shining at His Head for Praying.

A few weeks ago a new recruit arrived at the Crystal Palace, now in possession of the Royal Naval Division, and slung his hammock with six hundred men in one of the largest halls. On the night of his arrival, before saying the "tricky" prayer and going to bed, he prayed down and prayed; he prayed aloud, asking God's blessing upon the men. Before he had finished several boots had struck him on the head, but he stuck to his knees and won the victory.

Early next morning, before the other men were awake, he gathered all the boots that had come his way, and polished them, some until he could see his face in them, and the petty officer on his rounds, noticing the unusual number of boots in one place, asked the young fellow what he meant. So he explained that they had been thrown at him.

"You are the man that prayed last night, are you?" the petty officer asked, he called all the men together and formed a ring. Said he: "You prayed last night; now let us see if you can pray again." Nothing loath, the recruit stepped into the ring, knelt down and prayed aloud that God would bless every man in the Crystal Palace. From that hour the men at the Palace "would not allow the wind to blow on him," to use his expression, and none dares make a word when he prays at the close of the day, as he has prayed every night since that initial effort.

IN DANGER'S HOUR

The earth was trembling like a leaf, so that one would think: the very foundations would give way. Shells were dropping within close range, fearful sights were to be witnessed. Thus it had gone on for several hours. Then, at 11 p.m., a heavy rain storm began to rage, and the shells closed in all around, the machine guns rattled every-where.

At this point the Salvationist—The woman Officer when called back from the reserve—started the boys and a number of our old boys, and he closed in prayer. The captain, whose presence they were sure to have, stepped out of the darkness and said: "Thank you, boys; you touched my heart to-night. As he took our commander's hand he said: 'I believe God will answer your prayer.'"

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Brothers French and Martin, who are now overseas, both came along to St. John's, Nfld., to see the soldiers at No. 11 and No. 111, respectively. Brother Macdonald, who is now in the front, was the first to be seen.

THE SIGN OF THE SHIELD

IS WELCOME SIGHT TO MEN IN KHAKE-GOOD WORK IS
BEING DONE AT WITLEY CAMP

It seems natural for all Salvationists to look for the sign of the Salvation Army Hut as they approach a military camp in England (writes Bandman Harry Ashby). On coming into Witley Camp one does not have to go before the red and

the Ensign and his wife are on hand to bid them "Good-bye" and "God speed." As the boys pass the Hut many "Good-byes" are heard from them, along with other sayings they have about the good things they had received from the Hut.



Interior of Rest Hut No. 3 at Witley Camp, England

white shield sign is seen. It is a good sign. It means a great deal to hundreds of others.

There are three Salvation Army Huts in Witley Camp and the one which I refer to is Number Three. It is only a single Hut, the other two having a separate room for the purpose of reading and writing. Ensign and Mrs. J. Martin are the Officers in charge, and they certainly do their best for the boys. They are always on the lookout to render any service within their power. Nothing is a trouble, and the boys appreciate it. When troops are moving out, no matter whether it be day or night,

The Hut has been open seven months, and during the winter over two thousand men visited it each week. Now the warm weather is here, there is an average of eighteen hundred men each week. These are all looked after in first-class style by the Ensign and his wife and one assistant.

Meetings are held every Sunday morning and evening. A battalion from Toronto, known as the Buffs (190th), is now stationed here, and there are a number of Salvationists in it. The Officers on Hut Work need the prayers of all Salvationists, so always remember them when you pray.

MANY APPEALS

Lads in Khaki Turn to Salvation
Army Officers for Counsel

With Mrs. Wilson, I have had the opportunity of visiting thirty or more of the boys who are in the front. They are daily telling with a smile on their faces and a song in their hearts to meet the needs of the men (writes Colonel W. H. H. "Under the Colours"). They are greatly encouraged by varied appeals which reach them from the men for counsel and help.

"My wife and children miss me; can you send some one to cheer them?" says one. "The landlord is pressing for my wife to move," says a second. While a third enters and says, "If you please, am I at liberty to go into the prayer room?" "I want to be quiet," in half an hour the comrade out smiling, saying he has "got the answer." It appears he had entered the room to pray. He came out of it with all his anxieties laid down, his home and little family gone.

SAVED IN EGYPT

And Seeking Others in Greece

"The Salvation Army will hold a meeting to-morrow night. You are heartily invited," so runs a note that was put into my hand as my train and I walked through the streets of —, somewhere in Egypt, writes a comrade who is now at Salonika. "Then my children and I went back to help at Self-Denial times and that like) at home, we went, and not only thoroughly enjoyed ourselves, but were among those who knelt at the mercy-seat and found Salvation. What happy meetings we've had since, with many more souls seeking pardon."

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IS THERE ANY DIFFERENCE?

A Little Incident Which Shows
The Army's Work

Enter a Salvation Army Hut a search of immediate evidence of the real and lasting work being done on and you will find the true perspective eye, and a kindly collection of events, to attain your end. More than likely, however, you will be rewarded by the sight of Salvationists kept busy as bees, tending food and booking beds for men.

"Oh," you say, "this is just a restaurant; anybody could do this sort of thing; why need the Army do it?" Is there any difference?

"Yes, there's a whole world of difference. If you had been at the King's Cross Hotel the other morning you would have seen a man, country-looking but of about sixteen, dressed in khaki, enter suddenly. Having booked his bed he strolled out again. Mrs. Adams was then through by the ladies, answering various calls, but his eye was very watchful, and a little later she saw the boy talking with an elderly man of suspicious age. On his return she found him with the young soldier some seat, a low-toned advice.

Half an hour afterwards the man came across the room and said: "You know, I've been thinking about what you said, and I would like to seek this Salvation you talk about. I'm going away to-morrow, and I'd like to get right with God before I go." A little prayer and the soldier followed and in the morning he had won of his new-found joy. That one of the ways in which the real thing is done.

SANG AT THE WHEEL

A Naval Comrade's Testimony

Bandman Lorne Marshall, Regina, Sask., who is a member of the R. N. C. V. R., and is serving "Somewhere on the Sea," is now home to a comrade Bandman it follows:—

"As I stood at the wheel this afternoon, guiding the vessel through the deep unknown, I was reminded of the old songs. It is good to tell you that His Grace has been patient for me, and whatever my lot, thank God, it is a reward of soul."

Among the Salvationists serving with the Federal Forces in the United States, is Clifford Allen Coe, son of Staff-Captain and Lieut. Col. of New Orleans, and radio operator aboard the U. S. S. "Manche."



Brothers Summerville and Private Summerville (Man), now in the U. S. Army, are also serving with the Salvation Army in the front (Regina, Sask.) service.

THE PRAYING LEAGUE

PRAYER TOPICS

1. Pray for poor strife-ridden China, that she may cease trusting the armies and mercenaries which cleanse not the sinful spirit.

2. Pray for Russia to give our God His rightful place in the building up of their new nation. That Commissioner Mapp may have much success and blessing in establishing The Salvation Army as a vital force for truth in that great land.

WHY NOT PRAISE MORE?

Prayer is vital. What can the soul do without it? To live rightly is to live to God, and living to Him can only be accompanied by constant prayer—that is, incessant communication and asking. Prayer is the wire down which spreads the electric current of Strength from the Divine to the Human. If we are not urgent to pray, we shall soon become the devil's prey.

To pray is good. Sometimes to praise is better. Our Lord must joy to hear us cry for power and help from Him. Great is the tender compassion in the heart of the Father when the child clings in danger and weakness by a strong faith to the hand that is able to carry. But with deep pleasure the parent also hears, in the midst of peace and safety, the praise of the little voice that loves: "Oh, you are the best Father in the world! I love you so! I love you so!"

In a beautiful poem there is one more beautiful line in which the Lord is represented as "missing His little human praise," which rises daily from a cobbler's heart. Cherubim and seraphim around the Throne praising in tones of gold, fill the Ear of Eternal Love with the faint human thrills from the earth beneath.

The long line of spiritual ancestors were equal in praise and prayer. Oftentimes they praised and glorified as they asked for His mercy and aid. It is easy to see in the Psalmist that David got the clean heart and the spirit. After that blessing there is less asking for benefits and more upon enemies, and there is less after song of pure adoration to God and His works and ways.

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THE SALVATION SOLDIER'S ARMOURED

[This page section is the special "property" of our Soldiers and Recruits. We particularly urge that all newly-entrained comrades should carefully study the instruction provided, and also that any one in doubt, difficulty should take advantage of the opportunity afforded by the "Question Box." Before a Salvation Soldier can effectively discharge the duties of any branch of his work, he must know something of the nature of those duties and the best method of performing them. And one of the principal duties that devolve upon him is not the child duty—the first which relates to the ungodly world around him. This series of papers deals especially with this.—Ed.]

V.—WHAT IS IT TO BE SAVED

SALVATION means conversion; which signifies that change, which passes on the soul itself when it is received into the favour of God. Not only is something done for the soul at that time in the shape of pardon, but something is wrought within it, which is known as regeneration, and which is spoken of by Jesus as being born again.

Slave to Sin

Before Salvation the sinner is not only mastered by the devil, but he is under the power of his own sin, the slave of his vile passions and appetites. Even when he sees their hatefulness, and the evil consequences which follow in their train, he is powerless to free himself from them. If he makes resolutions, a sin no more, he breaks them almost as soon as made. He has a bad heart which inclines him to evil. He is a slave to his vile passions and either delights in his bondage and kisses his chains (in other words, revels in the sins that are his masters), or vainly struggles to get away from their dominion, coming at last to submit to their rule in despair.

But when he is converted, all this is changed. The godly things that before he hated, now he loves; and the sinful things that before he loved, now he hates. He is in Christ, and therefore a new creature. He is made anew. He is converted. It used to be easy for him to do evil, and hard for him to do good; but now it is hard for him to do evil, and easy for him to do good.

Being saved means being adopted into God's family—being made one of His children, and treated as such.

To be saved is to be made an heir of Heaven. The penalty of sin is not only death and hell, but the loss of Paradise. When God forgives a man's sin, He not only saves him from death and gives him back his life, but with that life He gives a title to Heaven as well. The saved man is made a child of God and an heir of Heaven. "A joint heir with Christ; so he that we suffer with Him, that we may be also glorified together."

Everlasting Life

This is what the Bible means when it says that forever doors have everlasting life through Christ. They have the unending life which they had forfeited by sin given back to them again as well as made impossible for them to sin in Heaven, and thereby forfeit it again; they have everlasting life. "I will give unto them that will do the Father's will, the power to overcome the world, the flesh, and the devil, and to give them eternal life, which shall not be taken away from them." "Whoever shall give to one of these little ones a cup of cold water, because he is thirsty, shall not lose his reward." "Whoever shall receive one of these little ones, who are of the Son of Man, shall receive Me, and I will receive him." "Whoever shall receive one of these little ones, who are of the Son of Man, shall receive Me, and I will receive him." "Whoever shall receive one of these little ones, who are of the Son of Man, shall receive Me, and I will receive him."

Being saved means that God will supply every need. When the prodigal came home, he was not only an open door for him to his father's house, but he was also a new man.

the case may be, he is not a third age for people to see, but He reveals Himself. There is no "old" in His call. It is His.

"Then she says she is sufficient, and she is, or she will regret it all. It was called of God to be a Christian at the age of 15. I was converted. On the advice of friends, the plan of my mother, and, finally, my father's command, which had arrayed law in my life, I was enabled to reach the colours, and I now in the glory of God. I have never been tempted to leave The Salvation Army."

"I believe in obeying parents while their commands are in the will of God's will, but not when they cross."

THE RETURN OF SAMUEL

A certain Samuel had been in his early days, worthy of his promise. Brought up to take his part in public worship as a chorister, he had become, perhaps, only too well-known, and too much known in his manhood, as a bass singer. He felt, and sang well, he thought "no good, past redemption," a man for whom nobody had hope. During a special campaign in the city in which he lived Samuel, among the converts. When he was announced to sing again 1500 people filled the theatre to hear him. One of the number of business men and lawyers agreed to come and hear in testimony another evening in his own humble hall.

Thus God continues to show us only His power suddenly to save the most abandoned, but with equal suddenness to show that His children produce an introduction amongst men of such as are brought again to an entirely new life of service and praise.

PASSED THE WATER ON

Some fine stories of heroism and self-denial are coming from the battle's front in France. Here is a newspaper report of an incident which is worthy to rank with others that are historical:

"The fierce sun is baking the troops brown. It was noteworthy that water was sent up quickly in the Mesinas battle, and also two lemons to each man. A carrier bringing up kerosene tins of water met a group of Australians in a horrible state from wounds and heat, but they only moistened their lips and passed the water on, knowing that the men in front needed it badly. That spirit is common among our fighters."

BIG HOSPITAL SHIP

Plans for a hospital ship for the United States Navy have been completed by the Naval Commission. "I notice, in reading 'Perplexed's' first, that she is considered too young to decide for herself in a matter of this kind; and, secondly, that she has had a definite call to Soldiership."

In the first place, God would not call any one who was incapable of following to Him. The Army's Founder was only fifteen when he was called of God to preach to people in the streets, a very unusual thing in those days, and even in our modern times. But he obeyed, and we have The Salvation Army as the result. He was only twenty-one years of age.

Aug. 18, 1917

THE WAR CRY

WHAT'S DOING ROUND THE WORLD

TO SAVE THE CROPS

It is now or never, as regards harvesting the Ontario crops, said Hon. W. J. Hanna, Dominion Food Controller, speaking recently in Toronto at a meeting of manufacturers from all parts of the Province.

Hon. F. G. MacDermid, Minister of Public Works, declared it would be unnecessary to impress upon the public the seriousness of the farm help situation. The Government had secured many men to go to farms, but there was still a great demand for "more men, and more men." He thought it the duty of employers to release every man they could spare. Ten thousand men would tide over the situation in Ontario.

"It might be possible for a great many of the farmers to struggle along and finally succeed in overcoming the difficulty of lack of labour," added the Minister of Public Works, "but this would result in the preparations for next year's crops being neglected." It was resolved to request the Provincial Government to initiate a campaign to secure the men required, and that the farmers be requested to pay a minimum wage of \$45 per month and board.

ENCLOSED LIFEBOAT

A NOVEL lifeboat of the enclosed type, with several entirely new features, has just been invented by a man in Hampton, Va. (says the "Illustrated World"). The boat was approved recently by the inspectors of the Department of Commerce.

One of the main features is a waterproof air valve which operates in such a manner that while ventilation is constant, no water can enter. This valve is made of a rubber ball supported on small pins inside a cast-iron ball, with pipes opening from both ends. One end opens to the outside air and the other inside the boat. The air travels around the ball and thus enters the boat, but water floats the ball and closes the opening. Another clever device is a watertight air-lock, which is closed to the sea by a canvas sleeve attached around the car and slipped over an oval collar which surrounds the lock opening.

The passengers enter through manholes, which are then closed and locked. In case there should be difficulty in freeing the boat from the davits or cradles, all restraining ropes and cables can be freed from the interior of the boat by simply pulling a lever.

TORONTO GETS FLOATING DRY-DOCK

THE first floating dock ever seen in Toronto arrived in the harbour in July, being brought in by sections from Sturgeon Bay, Wisconsin, a distance of 1,000 miles.

The huge mass of timber which forms the construction of the dry-dock, weighing several thousand tons, was towed to Toronto by way of Green Bay, Sturgeon Bay Canal, Lake Michigan, Lake Huron, St. Clair River, Lake Erie, Welland Canal, and Lake Ontario. The dry-dock, which was recently constructed at a cost of between fifty and sixty thousand dollars, was purchased by the Toronto Dry-Dock Company.

FLAX INDUSTRY REVIVES

GOVERNMENT officials who are preparing an educational exhibit for the Canadian National Exhibition at Toronto this year, say that the flax industry in this country will be completely rejuvenated as a result of the war.

Fifty years ago there were about

THE FISH SUPPLY

To facilitate the distribution in Central Canada of the finest food fish, a refrigerator car service will be provided from both Atlantic and Pacific coastal points. This is the first step towards the practical consummation of the Food Controller's plan. The first car left the Atlantic

RESTORING EUROPE

To assist in restoring the ravaged regions of Europe, a great voluntary effort is being made throughout the British Empire. Live stock, implements, etc., are being purchased and sent to the peasant farmers in the devastated districts.

The Canadian organization is being formed with Sir Robert Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier as vice-presidents. The Duke of Devonshire will be patron of the Canadian branch of the fund, and the Lieutenant-Governor of each Province is expected to become patron of a provincial committee.

The general plan proposed is to invite the co-operation of existing organizations of farmers, such as farmers' institutes, women's institutes, clubs, the grain-growers' associations and similar bodies in other provinces to disseminate information and receive contributions. The appeal, which will be made primarily to Canadian farmers, will be made upon two separate occasions. The organized cheese factories and creameries will be invited to donate a day's milk on one of the days of the anniversary of the great battle of the Marne (Sept. 6th-11th). The contributions of other donors will be invited either in November, December, or January.

IMPROVING TRANSPORTATION PLANS

THE Canadian Northern Railway system to be acquired by the Dominion Government will, when co-operating with other Government systems, materially improve the transportation facilities.

It is understood that, shortly, a connecting link, 16 miles long, between the Canadian Northern and the National Transcontinental will be built at Long Lake, north-west of Port Arthur, and, when completed, will make the Government system the shortest line between Montreal and Winnipeg. It will also eliminate the back haul in the winter grain trade from the head of the lakes to the Atlantic. It is also expected to have a stimulating effect on wheat, fish, and lumber transportation, and to aid greatly in keeping Canadian traffic east and west, instead of being diverted south and lost to the Dominion. The new system to be taken over comprises 9,513 miles under operation.

TAKE CARE OF EGGS

CARELESSNESS in handling eggs is responsible for losses every year. To lessen these losses the United States Department of Agriculture calls attention to the following facts.

The loss is due to small cracks in the shells. Once an egg shell is cracked, even so slightly that the eye cannot detect it, the delicate, protective, gelatinous coating within becomes exposed to the atmosphere, and the following facts, lessening the keeping quality of the egg:

Five percent of all cold eggs, the specialists find, spoil because of cracks in the delicate, protective, gelatinous coating within. Nature provides as a lining for the egg, and the following facts, lessening the keeping quality of the egg:

SOME POINTED QUESTIONS

Are you a bankrupt soul?
Do you know that you can have all your debts paid?

Why not meet the conditions?
See "The Bank of Grace"—Page 2

The Importance of Child Welfare

Queen Mary recently visited the British Hospital for Mothers and Babies at Woolwich, which does splendid work in connection with the welfare of mothers and infants. She is here seen inspecting a fine infant.

One hundred miles in Ontario, and flax was an important crop on many farms. At the time war started in 1914 this number had dwindled to six or seven.

But the war is reviving the industry in a striking way, and as a result of the attractive prices, due to the almost total disappearance of foreign competition, many Ontario farmers are dipping into the business. In all 8,000 acres have been planted to the crop here this year, while the West has devoted an immense acreage to it. The officials say that between thirty and forty mills will be operating in Ontario next winter turning out the products of the flax plant.

NO WHIPS ALLOWED

ACCORDING to the rules of the "Our Dumb Animals" as follows:

"Here's a little fact that will interest your readers: A whip-maker driver is allowed to carry a whip. Think of the big busy merchant handling millions of dollars every year, who has time to think about a detail like that!"

THE WAR CRY

Canada East Headquarters:
James and Albert Streets, Toronto

Price Three Cents



**When at home he is the King
People's Sergeant Major**

he ought, if circumstances would permit, to hold a Salvation service with the men. Upon being approached regarding the matter, the commanding officer gave his consent—only reminding the lieutenant of the danger of loud singing at so short a distance from the German trenches.

On the next Sunday, after order for the day had been attended to the company were assembled together

"Our comrade read a portion from Matthew 23"

Battalion has not concealed his pride that a company under him has won what he believes to be the unique honour of being the only one who has held a religious service in the first line of a trench, and the Sectionist Lieutenant has received warm congratulations of the Battalion chaplain on his sterling example.

COMING EVENTS
CANADA WEST

COMMISSIONER RICHARDS
Winnipeg—Fri. Mon., Sept. 7-10

COMMISSIONER SOWTON
Nelson—Sunday, August 19
Rossland—Monday, 20
Cranbrook—Wednesday, 22
Fernie—Thursday, 23
Calgary 2—Saturday, 25
Calgary 1—Sunday, 26
MacLeod—Monday, 27
Lethbridge—Tuesday, 28

All Boomer of "The War Cry" are invited to send particulars to the Editor (Baltimore, Arden Street, Toronto) of the "War Cry".

1. Any souls who have been saved as a result of their work.
2. Any special blessings they have themselves gained while booming "The War Cry".
3. Any interesting experiences they have had while on their rounds.
4. How they get on with house-to-house selling and linking up of customers.

WE are pleased to have to record Mrs. Ford, of Oakville, not only a rise on the part of Perth, Ont., and congratulate Captain Ernest Kitt and Lieutenant York on their achievement.

Mrs. Ford, of Oakville, not only keep up the sale of sixty "C" weekly, but has added a number of copies of "The Young Soldier" to her order. Excellent! God bless her, and all our Boomers!

Medicine Hat - Tuesday, 28.
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 Maple Creek - Thursday, 30.
 Swift Current - Friday, 31.
 Brigadier Phillips Coleman, S. S.
 Sun, Aug. 18-19; McLeod, Mon-
 day, 20.
 Brigadier Hay - Calgary - 2, Sat.
 Aug. 25; Calgary 1, Sun., 26; Mac-
 Leod, Mon., 27; Lethbridge, Tues.,
 28; Medicine Hat, Wed., 29.
 Major Coombe - Esteron, Sat.-Sun.,
 August 25-26.
 Staff-Captain Goodwin - Indian
 Head, Sat.-Sun., Aug. 18-19; Swift
 Current, Sat.-Wed. 25-28.

PARAGRAPHETTES

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SONGS OF SALVATION

COME!

Tune—Make no delay, B.J., 34.
Come to the Saviour, make no delay,
Here in His word He's shown us
the way;
Here in our midst He's standing to-
day,
Tenderly saying, "Come!"

I know my sins are all forgiven,
And I am on my way to Heaven.
When the storms of life are o'er,
I'll sing upon a happier shore.

LIVING WATERS!

Tune—Down where the living, B.B.,

PARAGRAPHTTES

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CANADA EAST

Brigadier Miller is now busy in plans for a new Hall and Quarters at Dartmouth, N.S. He also informs us that tenders are being asked for in connection with a new building at Whitney Pier.

Brigadier Morris represented the Commissioner at the Parliament Buildings (Toronto) on Tuesday.

CHORUS		NO. 224.
Joyful, joyful, will the meeting be, When from sin our hearts are pure And free; And we shall gather, Saviour, with Thee, In our eternal Home.	Once I was far in sin, But Jesus took me in, Down where the living waters flow! 'Twas there He gave me sight, And made me see the light, Down where the living waters flow.	
CHORUS		
Come to the Saviour, Oh, hear His voice Let every heart be true To Him	Down where the living waters flow! Down where the tree of life does	

meeting called by Sir William Hearst to consider the question of harvesting Ontario's Great crop, for which at least 4,000 men are required from Canada alone.

Chaplain-Captain Walton writes to say that he has been appointed to work in connection with men on leave, and will shortly leave Hastings and take up quarters in London, England.

Major Moore, accompanied by Captain

And let us joyfully receive Him our	I'm living in the light, (grow,
choice;	For Jesus now I fight,
Do not delay, but come!	Down where the living waters flow,
	With Jesus at my side,
Think once again, He's with us	I need no other guide;
to obey	Down where the living waters flow;
Heed now His bliste commands and	He's my King and Stay,
obey;	He saves me every day,
	Down where the living waters flow,

Wilson, conducted the meetings at Brampton last week-end. Eleven young people came forward for salvation.

Chaplain-Captain White, took part in the Church Parade Service at Camp Borden last Sunday.

Captain Spooner will conduct the second party of children to the Forest-Air Camp at Jackson's Point on Monday, Aug. 13th. There will probably be about

THE LAMB!

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une- My Saviour suffered, B-255	Jesus, keep me near the Cross;
ly Saviour suffered on the tree.	Here a precious fountain,
ly Saviour to the Bleeding Lamb!	From a living Gilead stream—
come and praise the Lord with	Flows from Calvary's mountain.
me!	CHORUS
Glor-y to the Bleeding Lamb!	In the Cross, in the Cross,
CHORUS	Be my glory ever;
the Lamb, the Lamb, the bleed-	Till my raptur-ed soul shall find
Lamb!	Rest beyond the river.
I love the sound of Jesus' name;	Near the Cross, a trembling soul,
Let my spirit all in a flame,	Love and mercy found me;
Glor-y to the Bleeding Lamb!	Through the Bright and Morning Star
	Shed His beams around me.
He bore my sins and cur-se and	Near the Cross, O Lamb of God,
shame, [name]	Bring me close to Thy face me;
	Help me walk from now on

WAR DATA ABOUT INSECTS

Entomology, that branch of zoology which treats of insects, has a much closer relation to war problems than most people realize (says, "Popular Mechanics"), and the United States Bureau of Entomology has asked that pamphlets, circulars, posters, leaflets, etc., pertaining to war phases of this field of science be sent to its office in Washington, so that they can be assembled and classified for future reference.

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**In Order to Harvest the Crops and prevent scarcity of food
at home as well as starvation abroad**

WORKERS ARE URGENTLY WANTED ON FARMS

Application should be made to Local Committees by all who can go "on the land" for any term—long or short.

OUR BOYS IN FRANCE

We would remind our readers that **Captain Steele** (our Chaplain in the front-line trenches in France) has a very urgent need of comforts for our Canadian soldiers amongst which are **woolien socks** and **woolien underwear** particularly needed.

Read all articles to Mrs. Commissioner **Souton**, Territorial Headquarters, Winnipeg, and they will be forwarded to the front.